



Meeting DOT POINTS

Wednesday 25th February 2015

President Greg welcomed everyone to the meeting.

Apologies: Camilla, Kathlyn and Des

Service Hours: BBQ at Woolies Bayswater raised \$180 last Sunday. Greg, Robin and Annette attended.

International Toast: Proposed by John Clements to Club No1, the Rotary Club of Chicago to recognise Rotary's 110th birthday on 23rd Feb.

Tech Stuff: Press releases relating to our Charter Function are being loaded onto our web site and Facebook pages ready for release on Charter day (or late the night before). (Thanks Peter Fitz for great job with releases.)

Fund Raising: Robin Bailey reported on a number of BBQ opportunities at various Anaconda and Masters stores. A fund raising calendar is to be set up on the Facebook page so keep an eye out when travelling. (Editor – this is now done.)

Gympie Music Muster: Is the preferred location for our 2nd muster this year. It takes place the last 4 days of August. A site out of town is being investigated for our group – large area, cheaper and pets OK. Local Apex club is involved in the festival but still awaiting word from Gympie-Cooloola Rotary club. The RC of Gympie do not know if they will be taking part.

Charter Function protocols:

- Chris Hopkins will be MC for the day
- Program will be a fairly standard structured Rotary event
- It is intended to stream the proceedings over the internet so those not able to attend can still watch.
- A number of other protocols occurring on the day were detailed by Chris

Other News:

- Wed 11th March - there will be no online meeting
- Volunteers still required for Sydney Royal Easter Show. DG Phillip Charles keen for the Nomads to be involved. The "Fergies for the Bush" project requires the selling of miniature Massey Ferguson tractors as a fund raiser.

- Easter in the Country at Roma has been cancelled as Rotary now not involved as their area of involvement has now been “outsourced” by the management committee. Local club apparently very disappointed.
- Bring muffin trays to Broken Hill so can add muffins to breakfast fare
- Gary Adams is claiming the Damper Trophy in advance! We’ll see...